

Table 21
 Test Score and GPA Requirements for Entry into Terminal Master's Programs
 in U.S. Graduate Departments of Psychology: 1997-1998

	United States		
	Percent of Programs Requiring Test or GPA	Average Minimum Score/GPA	Average** Score/GPA
GRE-Verbal	61	480	510
GRE-Quantitative	61	480	553
GRE-Verbal and Quantitative	48	967	1,062
GRE-Analytical	33	471	565
GRE-Verbal, Quantitative and Analytical	27	1,413	1,583
GRE-Subject (Psychology)	22	518	569
MAT	12	40	53
Overall Undergraduate GPA	73	2.90	3.32
Last Two Years GPA	38	3.01	3.44
Psychology GPA	43	3.44	3.48

Source. 1998 Graduate Study in Psychology. Compiled by the APA Research Office.

Note. These data are based on information provided by 156 departments that responded to the survey and reported data on required test scores and GPAs for admission. Data should be interpreted with caution when N is small. GRE scores for each general test can range from 200 to 800. Scores for GRE subject tests can range from 200 to 990. MAT scores can range from 0 to 100. GPAs are based on a 4.0 scale.

* Calculations not completed due to missing data.

** Department chairs were asked to report the median score and/or GPA accepted for admission into a program. For purposes of consistency, the average of the median scores and/or GPAs has been reported.